METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING CONTEXT MENUS ON A HAND-HELD DEVICE

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention provides a user interface for a hand-held device that allows users to activate the full "card" for an entry using one gesture on a button while also giving the user the ability to reach a menu of context dependent commands using a second gesture on a button. In particular, the present invention recognizes certain button inputs as context menu gestures. When these gestures are made, a context menu appears. The user is then able to select a command in the context menu that is to be performed. The present invention also allows a user to open context menus while only using one hand to operate and hold the device.